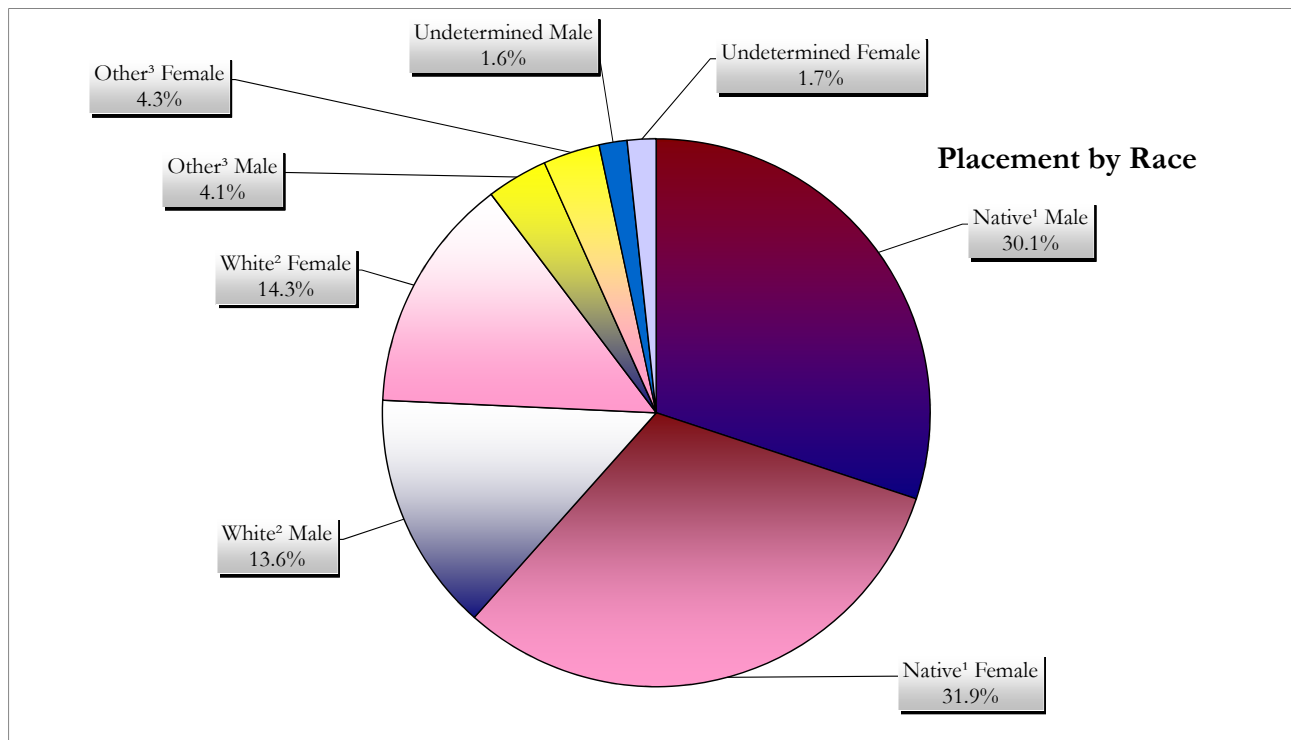


All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of September, 2010, by Race

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment.



All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of September, 2010.													TOTAL
Race	Native ¹			White ²			Other ³			Undetermined			
Region	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	
Anchorage	207	195	402	79	80	159	49	40	89	8	12	20	670
Northern	116	137	253	39	34	73	9	11	20	4	4	8	354
South Central	97	104	201	142	138	280	8	10	18	12	11	23	522
Southeast	73	63	136	15	18	33	4	4	8	5	4	9	186
Western	91	112	203	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	2	5	209
Total	584	611	1,195	275	271	546	70	65	135	32	33	65	1,941

¹ Native is any mention of Alaska Native or American Indian.

² White is White only, excluding all other races.

³ Other includes any mention of Asian, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, or Black/African American.

Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthly_ooh_web.sas.

Data in this report is current as of October 11, 2010. Subsequent reports with the same date parameter will contain up-dated statistics.

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